American Citizen. His career of glory through life was unstained by crime; and his death was felt as a loss by every individual of that community, whose political existence was the fruit of his exertions.

THE FAREWELL ADDRESS *of general Washington* is the condensed result of long experienced, matured reflection and strong anxiety for the permanent prosperity of his country. His advice concerning the great importance of maintaining indissolubly the federal Union: the danger of indulging too much in party feelings:—the necessity of supporting public credit at home:—of maintaining public faith in all our transactions with foreign nations: of encouraging foreign intercourse free frm foreign attachments:—are so many lessons of prudence which we should do well to bear in constant remembrance. Why therefore should not his legacy of wisdom and affection, be so published, as to admit of being constantly before our eyes? An ornament to our apartments, while it serves as a memento to guide our public feelings, and to manifest that the author lives in our memories?

To make it such, is the aim of the proposed Edition.

The Publishers are determined that the Address shall be printed on paper of the same quality and size as the splendid edition of the Declaration of Independence now engraving, & shall in all respects be a companion worthy that great State paper.

As errors are known from various causes to find their way into the most important writings, the publishers feel it their duty, not only to satisfy themselves, but to satisfy the public, of the authenticity of the copy from which this splendid Edition of the Farewell Address shall be published.

MR. GEORGE BRIDPORT will complete the Design; of which the following is an outline:—The introductory part of the Address, in highly finished ornamental penmunship, shall form the upper part;—the other parts of the plate, shall be appropriate ornaments;—in the centre below shall be engraved, from an historical design for this publication by Mr. *Sully* the Surrender of the British Army at York-town, October 19, 1781.

The Address itself shall be printed with type of a peculiar and appropriate character, designed for this purpose by Mr. Fairman, and to be cut and cast by our best artists. No more of the type shall be cast than will be necessary to execute this Address; & when it shall be compleated, the type and the matrices in which it was cast shall be utterly destroyed; so that no other work shall ever be executed by the same letter which shall have printed the "FAREWELL ADDRESS" of him who lived and died, *first in War; first in Peace, and first in the hearts of his Countrymen.*

The paper, of the first quality, 36 by 26 inches, will be made by Mr. Amies. The INK shall be carefully prepared, and of the best materials.

The signature of General Washington from which it is proposed to execute a fac simile for this publication, is that which he affixed to the Constitution of the United States, when he signed it as President of the Convention in which it was framed; Thus associating and concentrating some of the greatest events in the life of this great man and in the history of his Country.

The ornamental writing will be designed and executed in the very best manner; the ornamental parts of the design and vignette, will be engraved by G. FAIRMAN: and the Typographical part executed by *John Binns.* They will take especial care of the execution of their several duties in this respect, and they will call to their aid, all that liberality, zeal and industry can command from the Sciences and Arts, so as to make the *"Farewell Address"* no mean specimen of the state of the Fine Arts in the United States.

As much progress has already been made in designing and procuring materials for this splended edition of Gen. Washington's *"Farewell Address,"* it is expected it will be ready for delivery, with the Splended Edition of the Declaration of Independence, in the month of December next. That the public may have a more perfect view of the design and style of execution, than can be given in a proposal, of this Tribute to the memory of him who was "a Conqueror for the Freedom of his Country! A "Legislator for its Security! A Magistrate for its Happiness," it is not intended to solicit any Subscsiptions until the Ornamental parts of the plate shall be executed. It will then be submitted for public inspection and public patronage, at five dollars a Copy, payable on the delivery of the Engraving.

Philadelphia, July 31.

Alexandria Gazette & Daily Advertiser.

PRINTED AND PUBLISHED BY SAMUEL SNOWDEN, ROYAL-STREET, ALEXANDRIA.

VOL. XIX.] TUESDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 8, 1818. [No. 5826.

Mechanics' Bank of Alex'a.

September 1, 1818.

THE stockholders of this institution are hereby notified, that a dividend of 3½ per cent is this day declared for the last half year, on the Capital Stock paid in, payable to them or their legal representatives, on Friday the 11th inst.

By order of the Board.

P. H. MINOR, Cash'r.

September 1

This day is published,

AND for sale at the bookstore of JAMES KENNEDY & SON,

The Controversy between M. B. & Quæro,

which appeared in the Alexandria newspapers in the year 1817, on some points of

ROMAN CATHOLICISM:

To which is added AN APPENDIX, containing a brief notice of Luther—of Indulgencies—of the Inquisition—and of the Order of the Jesuits.

BY A PROTESTANT.

Price in boards one dollar Sept 3

John H. Ladd & Co.

HAVE just received by schooner Mark-Time,

20 casks large grained powder tower proof
10 fine do do do
5 musket do do do
5 containing 25 canisters each

This powder is of the very first quality London tower proof, and the large grained is of extra strength, manufactured expressly for duck shooting. Also,

21 hampers Bristol Bottles.

September 3

John H. Ladd & Co.

HAVE just received for sale,

25 cases men's and boys' fine and coarse shoes, of superior quality
15 puncheons Demerara, St Croix and Antigua rum
3 casks lemon juice
8 boxes fresh lemons
20 half bbls mess beef
50 kegs excellent small twist tobacco
30 do large do
18 hhds leaf tobacco

August 26 2w

Committed

TO my custody some time past as runaways, a Negro woman and two children. The Negro woman calls herself *Ann Butler*, and says she is free, and came from Nottingham in Prince George county upwards of seven years ago to this county, where she has lived as a free person ever since.—She is 5 feet 2 inches high, of a very dark complexion, and appears to be about 28 years of age—had on when committed an oznaburgh shift, an old white cotton petticoat, and a red calico frock.—Her oldest child is a boy, who is called *Thomas*—of a dark complexion, and appears to be about 5 years old.—The other is a girl, who is called *Ann*, also of a dark complexion, and appears to be about 3 years old. The owner is desired to come and take them away, otherwise they will be sold as the law directs, for their prison fees, &c.

THO. A DAVIS,
Sheriff of Charles County.

July 24 2m

50 Dollars Reward.

ABSGONDED on Saturday morning, the 15th inst. negro George, or George Griffin, the property of Miss M'Call, by trade a nailer, and understands some part of the blacksmith's business; he is about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, stout made, very black complexion, large eyes and mouth, with thick lips. He is a very artful fellow and has been in the habit of obtruding himself as a free man, and will no doubt attempt to pass as such, and probably get work—has a down look when spoken to.—His clothes not recollected, having various suits.

A reward of 10 dollars will be given if taken in the town or county, 20 in the county of Washington or Fairfax, or the above reward if taken 50 miles from town, with all reasonable charges if brought home.

Masters of vessels are cautioned against harboring or carrying off said runaway, as they will be dealt with according to law.

JAMES SANDERSON.

August 17 tf

Notice.

ALL persons having any unsettled accounts with the subscriber, or any demand whatsoever against him (individually) are requested to exhibit the same immediately for adjustment, and all who are indebted to him are earnestly requested to make payment, as he is desirous of closing his particular Books, and accounts of any former transactions unconnected with present business.

JOHN G. LADD.

August 29 2w

Land for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale a tract of 80 acres of land, on the Colchester road, five miles from Alexandria, adjoining the lands of Haywood Foote and Dennis Johnston. The greater part of this tract is fine meadow land, abundantly supplied with water. Also one other tract of 261 acres, on the Ravensworth road, about 6 miles from Alexandria, and one mile from the first mentioned tract, adjoining land of Thos. Janney and Mr. M'Pherson: the greater part of this tract is in wood, the soil good and highly susceptible of improvement from the use of plaster. If these lands are not sold before the first of January next, they will then be for rent.

CHARLES SIMMS.

June 18 ws

Old Rye Whiskey, &c.

LINDSAY & HILL have just received from Baltimore, per schr Luminary,

5 hhds } old rye whiskey, of a superior quality
40 bbls }

And from New-York,

7 pipes country gin, equal to Pierpoint's so celebrated

IN STORE,

Jamaica, Antigua and N. E. Rum, in hhds and barrels

Claret wine, in casks, said to be superior to any ever imported into the district

Common whiskey, in barrels

Java, South America, and West India green and white coffee, in bags and bbls

Imperial & Y. Hyson Teas, in chests, half chests and 10 catty boxes

Nett and gross Shad and Herrings

10 seroons Spanish tobacco

Flour, selected for family use

August 29

Mahogany, &c.

JUST received and for sale,

4000 feet mahogany, in lots to suit purchasers
100 matrasses of different sizes
1 elegant Grecian sofa.
10 dozen sacking bottoms at 18s
16 portable desks
Easy chairs and night stools

S. WARD,
Lower end of Prince-street.

August 27 2w

New Grocery Store.

THE subscriber having commenced the Grocery business in the house of Mr. E. Lloyd, formerly occupied by Mr. Wm. Dunlap, on Cameron street, between Fairfax and Royal streets, has particularly selected for family use a general assortment of the best wines, liquors, cordials and groceries, which will be sold low for cash.

ALSO,

Twenty-four boxes Sicily lemons, in prime order, from New-York; and a fine assortment of handsome paper-hanging, recently imported from Marseilles, which will be sold very low by sets and by the yard.

VINCENT MASSOLETTI.

August 18 1m

L. Masterson,

BOOT AND SHOE-MAKER,

RETURNS his grateful thanks to his friends and the public in general, for the liberal patronage he has received in his line of business, and hopes they will continue it. He has on hand a good assortment of the best Philadelphia leather, which he intends manufacturing in the best manner: for neatness and durability it will be excelled by none. He has on hand a good assortment of

Boots, Bootees and Shoes,

which he will sell on reasonable terms for cash, or to punctual customers at the usual credit, at his old stand opposite the Gazette office, Royal-street.

N. B. Two boys of good disposition would be taken as apprentices to the above business. Those from the country would be preferred. August 24

Books and Stationary.

ROBERT GRAY has just received for sale on commission, an invoice of Books and Stationary, among which are the following articles, viz:

Sir Robert Wilson's sketch of the military and political power of Russia
Phillips's speeches; Shey's bookkeeping
Say's catechism of political economy
Manners & customs; Accidents of life
Gisbourne's natural theology
Adams's history of all religions
Bennett's letters; history of the late war
Volney's Ruins; Brownie of Bodsbeck
The Sisters; Pope's Essay on Man
Tales of my Landlord; Taylor's Inquiry
Travels at home; Domestic Medicine
Debates of the Virginia Convention, on the adoption of the Federal Constitution
Wright's Life of Christ and his apostles
Bonnet boards by the gross, dozen or single; superfine vellum cap writing paper

August 28

Stationary.

JUST received and for sale by the subscribers, the following articles of very superior quality—

Black lead pencils
Quills
Penknives
Pocket-books
Mathematical instruments

Copy and cyphering books, record books, and other blank books of every description; with every article in the stationary line.—Orders for blank books executed with elegance and dispatch.

JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

July 21 tuths

PROPOSALS

For publishing by subscription

The Constitution and Regulations of the Society of Ancient Masons, in Virginia,

CONTAINING

1. The constitution and laws of the Grand Lodge of Virginia, published in the new Ahiman Rison, in 1791.
2. Such regulations of a general and permanent nature, as have been passed by the Grand Lodge since the publication of the Ahimon Rison, up to 11th December, 1817.
3. A methodical digest of the constitution and regulations now in force, drawn from the foregoing sources, with notes of reference, and a copious index.

By JAMES HENDERSON,
Master of the Manchester Lodge, No. 14.

CONDITIONS.

The above work will be published on good paper and well defined type.

The price to subscribers will be 1 dol. 75 cents in boards, or 2 dollars bound.

S. & D. Reed,

HAVE just received a fresh supply of SHOES and HATS, consisting of the following kinds:

1000 pair women's leather pumps
400 do do thick soles
300 misses' do do
500 ladies' morocco slips
200 do do with heels
500 do low priced morocco slips
500 children's morocco and leather shoes
500 men's & boys' bound leather shoes
400 men's low priced fur hats
400 do and boys' wool do
100 boys' white do
10 boxes lemons

All of the above articles are offered for sale at low prices for cash, and at the usual credit to punctual customers.—Country Merchants can be supplied at Northern Prices. August 28

Baltimore Hospital,

24th August, 1818.

THE board of visitors have much pleasure in announcing to the public, that within the last eighteen months, a large and elegant addition has been made to this valuable institution, in the erection of the East wing of the building. This wing is 152 feet in length and 36 in width, with an extensive Southern projection at its extreme East end. It contains between 30 and 40 apartments, admirably calculated for the accommodation of every class of patients. Of this number are several large and airy wards, intended particularly for the reception of seamen, and well adapted to their various diseases. These different rooms and wards will be warmed by open fires, and by heated air thrown into them, from furnaces constructed on a safe and improved plan. Arrangements will also soon be made, for lighting the apartments in the entire building, with gas.

The unwearied exertions of Doctors Mackenzie and Smyth, the attending Physicians of the Hospital, in their attention to the construction of the building, and their care of the sick, have given a character to this Institution, which is now inferior to none in the United States. In the short space of six years, a most noble establishment has been erected—a thing without parallel in this country. It is well known, that above half a century has been consumed, in bringing the Hospitals of New-York and Philadelphia to their present size, and it is admitted by many gentlemen, who have visited these Institutions, that the Hospital here, is by far the most extensive, the whole building being now 360 feet in length.

The daily increase of the sick in the Hospital, renders it absolutely necessary that the new wing should be furnished; and every exertion is now making, to have it completed, before the cold weather shall set in.

The visitors at their late meeting, examined the Institution with much care—the apartments of the sick in the private infirmary—those in the lunatick asylum—and the wards of the sick and disabled seamen in the Marine Hospital—and they assert with confidence, that the sick and afflicted of every description are well accommodated and carefully attended. They have seen at their different meetings, the private patient comfortable: the wretched marine humanely taken care of; and the sailor, disabled by age, wounds and sickness, well provided with suitable medical assistance, and with every other comfort which his condition may require. Indeed the agreeable situation in which this very useful class of men are placed, does much credit, as well to the Director of the Marine Hospital, as to the attending Physicians, to whose immediate care they are entrusted. Every praise too, which the visitors can bestow, is due to Mr. & Mrs. Gatchel, the Stewart and Matron of the Hospital, for the neat and clean manner in which the House is uniformly kept, and for their care and attention to the administration of the internal economy of the establishment.

Before they conclude this account of the Hospital, the visitors would invite the attention of their fellow citizens throughout the United States, to the *Anatomical Cabinet of Wax Preparations* by *Chiappi*, which certainly far surpasses any thing of the kind ever exhibited in this country; and will afford to those whose curiosity may lead them to see how "fearfully and wonderfully they are made," but more especially to the medical student, a fund of useful information.

The Hospital is under the care of the following medical gentlemen:

Doctors *Colin Mackenzie* } Attending
James Smyth } Physicians.
Dr. *Horatio Gates Jameson*, Atten'g Surg.
Doctors *George Brown*
John Coulter
John Campbell White
Solomon Birkhead
John Cromwell
Peter Chatard
Ashton Alexander
John Owen
William Donaldson } Consulting Physicians.

By order of the Board of Visitors,

JOHN HILLEN, Sec'y.

August 27 Th8w

The Maryland Gazette and Republican, at Annapolis, the Political Examiner, at Fredericktown; the Torch Light, at Hagerstown; the Allegany Freeman, at Cumberland; the Star and Gazette, at Easton; the National Intelligencer and Gazette, at Washington City; the Alexandria Herald and Gazette; the Richmond Inquirer and Compiler; the Ledger and Beacon, at Norfolk; Petersburg Intelligencer; Raleigh Minerva; Charleston City Gazette; Augusta Chronicle and Savannah Republican, will please publish the above once a week for eight weeks, and forward their accounts to the office of the Baltimore American for collection, positively on or before the first day of March next.

Washington Inn,

Corner of King & Pitt streets, Alexandria.

H. CLAGETT

RESPECTFULLY informs the public that he has lately taken the above stand (which is now calculated to afford comfortable accommodations), and will spare no exertions to please those who may favor him with their custom. An excellent Stable is attached to the Inn, and careful attendants will be constantly in readiness to obey the calls of travellers.

August 7 m

New Hotel,

ON THE LEESBURG ROAD.

WASHINGTON DRANE

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public generally, that he has opened a house of entertainment at his new building, on the road leading from Georgetown to Leesburg, 15 miles from the former, and 15 miles from the latter place.—The house and furniture are new and elegant, and every attendance and requisite have been provided for the accommodation of either parties of pleasure or persons on business. There is an excellent spring of water on the place, excelled perhaps by none in the state of Virginia. The distance from Georgetown, Washington or Alexandria, being an agreeable ride, he anticipates a share of public patronage, which he hopes his assiduity to business will justly merit.

August 7 1m

Robert Gray,

Next door west of the corner of King & Royal Streets,

HAS just received on consignment, the following BOOKS and STATIONARY ARTICLES, viz:

Volney's Ruins; Thaddeus of Warsaw; Olney Hymns; Faneway's Letters
Murray's Reader, Grammar, Exercises and Key;
Triumphs of Temper;
New-York Reader, No. 1, 2, & 3;
Episcopal prayer books
Travels at Home; Cases of Conscience
Chalmer's Discourses
Accidents of Human Life
Plaicede, a Spanish Tale; Manners, a novel; Balance of Comfort
Letters from the Cape of Good Hope
Bonaparte's Letter to Lord Liverpool
Coxe's Female Scripture Biography
Beauties of Robertson
Harrington and Ormond
Memoirs of Moreau
———— Bernadotte
———— Rachael Baker
Youth's Cabinet
Murray's Grammar, Abridged
Murray's, Webster's Comly's, and N York Spelling Books
New-York Preceptor and Primer
Allison's Sermons, 2 volumes
Tales of Fancy; Poetical Chronology
Clavis Ciceronis; Tacitus
Airs of Palestine; Hubert and Ellen
Valentine's Eve; Readings on Poetry
Lord of the Isles
Sancho, or The Proverbialist
Cowper's Poems; Comic Dramas
Paris Revisited; French War in Spain
Poet's Pilgrimage; Masonic Minstrel
Simpson's Conic Sections
Willish's Lectures
Rambach's Meditations
Sidney on Government
Warren's America; Military Tutor
Family Prayers; American Star
Sanford and Merton; Scott's Lessons
Looking Glass for the Mind
Pocket and school Bibles & Testaments
Jess's Surveying
Johnson's Dictionary, large and small
Child's Monitor; American Nepos
History of England
Addison's Works, 6 vols. boards
Federalist; Clerk's Magazine
Columbian Letter Writer
Introduction to Reading
Episcopal hymns, &c. &c.

Stationary:

Plain and fancy letter, superfine and common cap writing and large brown wrapping paper; band box and bonnet boards; playing cards; ink powder, red and black; black morocco pocket books; wedgewood cork and paper inkholders; lead and slate pencils; superfine English and American drawing paper; Reeves's colors in boxes; German and octave flutes; fifes and clarionets; black sand and sand boxes; wafers; quills; blank checks on the Mechanics' and Farmers' banks; bills of lading; seamen's articles; manifests and powers of attorney; bank books, copy and cyphering books, plain and ruled ledgers journals day books invoices, letter & common account books in full and half binding. Orders for any description of BLANK BOOKS executed at a short notice; and warranted for neatness, strength and durability, equal to any in the district. June 27.

Carpeting.

ON hand at the auction store corner of Prince and Water streets, Holland Rush Carpets, (justly celebrated for their durability)—of different widths and qualities, which may be seen and purchased at any time.

June 18 P. G. MARSTELLER.

Robert Gray

RESPECTFULLY inform his friends and former customers, that he has recommenced the

Bookbinding and Stationary Business,

next door to the corner of King and Royal streets, and is prepared to execute any orders in the Bookbinding buisness with which he may be honored—he is also supplied on commission, with a small assortment of Stationary comprised of articles most in demand, and particularly invites the attention of juvenile customers to articles used in schools, such as Cyphering and Copy books, &c. which are made of the best materials that can be procured and at the usual prices—orders from Banks or public offices for any kind of blank account books, can be executed in a style of strength and elegance equal to any in the United States. May 27

French Creek Boarding School.

The following is published for the information of Parents:

HAVING long believed that a School on a plan different from most others in many respects, would be beneficial to society, and apprehending that with all its cares, and the responsibility inseparable from such a concern, I could more cheerfully devote my time to the education of children than to any other business, I have concluded to establish a BOARDING SCHOOL for GIRLS.—With this view I have purchased the FRENCH CREEK FARM, four miles east of the yellow springs, on the Norristown and Philadelphia road, situated in Pikeland and Vincent townships, Chester county, twenty-seven miles from Philadelphia, combining many conveniencies for the support of such an institution; and having let the farm, etc. in a way calculated to supply the family with provisions, I propose to devote my attention, with the aid of suitable assistants, to the education of the children who may be placed under my care.

In selecting the pupils, it is not proposed to be governed entirely by their ages, nor to require that they shall all be members of the religious society of Friends; but as the school rules will be very few in number and very simple, it is my wish that none may be sent contrary to their own inclination, nor any one who would not be likely to be good examples to the other scholars, and treat them with kindness and affection.

The price for board and tuition will be two hundred Dollars per annum, one quarter always to be paid in advance—no restrictions respecting the kind of clothing are intended, nor respecting the frequency of the changes that parents may require; the washing will be charged at the ordinary price per dozen—children may be admitted for one quarter only, and such as are entered for a longer period, may nevertheless be removed at the expiration of any quarter.—The communication with Philadelphia will be frequent and easy by stage, and a house of entertainment kept by the farmer for the accommodation of persons having business at the school.

Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Geography and the use of Maps and globes, will be taught, together with such other branches as the progress of the children and experience may render expedient. The school to open the first of the 5th month next. For further information apply to Edward Stabler, Alexandria, or to

EMMOR KIMBER.

2d mo. 21 Stf

District of Columbia, to wit:

Alexandria county, April term, 1818.

IN CHANCERY.

The Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria—*Complainant,*

VERSUS

Thomas W. Peyton and Wm. H. Dundas—*Defendants.*

THE defendant, Thomas W. Peyton, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court upon affidavit that the said Thomas W. Peyton is not an inhabitant of this district—On motion of the said complainants by their counsel, it is ordered, That the said defendant Thomas W. Peyton do appear here on the 1st day of the next court, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant Wm H. Dundas, does not pay away, convey or secrete the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendant Thomas W. Peyton, until the further order or decree of this court;—and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county, and that another copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse of said county.

Test, G. DENEALE, C. C.

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE
AND DAILY ADVERTISER.
PUBLISHED BY
SAMUEL SNOWDEN,
ROYAL-STREET.
Daily Gazette, 7 dolls...Country, 5 dolls.
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1818.

FOR THE GAZETTE.

PHILO-DRAMATIC SOCIETY.

Among the many subjects that have elicited the genius and erudition of the literati of the present day, I am not a little surprised to see so little said in praise of charitable institutions. So general is the diffusion of wealth, and so easy is a competency obtained, that the possessors too often forget that there are many of their fellow beings who from various causes and unforeseen incidents are bereft of the means of attaining the actual necessaries of life, and in consequence reduced to the most pitiable and deplorable situation.—From daily occurrences it indeed appears to be too true, that, as wealth accumulates, the heart becomes callous and unfeeling—self interest preponderates every other passion—social happiness is considered as a theoretical speculation, or the illusive fancy of an intoxicated imagination—and the warm current of benevolence and philanthropy is frozen up by the sordid desire of pecuniary aggrandizement. But still there are some who do not forget that Providence has gifted them with the goods of this world to relieve the misfortunes of their fellow creatures; to whom the tale of woe needs not a recital, and whose presence the poor deserving medicant, leaves with a smiling countenance and a heart overflowing with gratitude.

I have noticed with the most heart-felt pleasure the laudable exertions of the Philo-Dramatic Society of Alexandria, composed of young men of talents and respectability, and founded on the principles of benevolence and humanity—having for its aim the alleviation of the sufferings of the indigent and distressed—that they may procure the means to prevent the poor fugitive wretch, who would otherwise walk in the path of rectitude, from the necessity, of obtaining subsistence by stealth,

"For stern necessity's control,
"Resistless sways the human soul"—

that the disconsolate widow and helpless orphan may smile through their tears, and exult that amidst the general depravity of feelings, humanity has still her votaries.—Nor should it be forgotten that under the present circumstances theatrical performances are attended with the most beneficial effects in society: "By holding up virtue as it were in the mirror, and vice in her own image"—by painting out the reward of doing good, and creating a noble emulation in the youthful mind, to imitate the example set before it—by depicting turpitude in its blackest colors, and guilt in its most horrid aspect; the tender mind is fashioned to revere the one and to despise the other. We know there are many possessed of both the ability and disposition to contribute to the relief of their suffering fellow creatures; but from their situation in life they have not the opportunity of bestowing it, and would gladly attend the performances of this society as the sure channel of dispensing their charity: whilst others, with hearts cold as the polar ice and hard as adamant, attend merely for amusement, and unintentionally assist in the pious undertaking.

Impressed with these ideas, little doubt can be entertained but that this and institutions of a similar nature will meet with the approbation and encouragement of the friends of humanity, knowing that the virtuous mind requires no other retribution for doing a good action than the sanction of the heart.

ALPHONSO.

Extract of a letter to a gentleman in Boston, dated

"*Cognac, 22d June*, 1818.

"The vintage of the two last years has been so deficient, that there was no occasion for sending any advices about the result. The prospect of this season being more favorable, we may depend upon a reduction to our prices, and a good supply for our market. The exportations to England have been so extensive last winter, that brandy has got up the enormous rate F. 710 p. 27 Velts, and we consider the stock in the country as nearly exhausted.—At no period it was never known to be so small as it is at present. However, as the present crop has the appearance of being a good one, we may calculate that towards December, prices may settle between F. 220 a 250 p 27 Velts, or 4f 78 a 5f 38 per gallon, delivered on board at Charente; this port is a league above Rochefort, and vessels of tonnage may lay there with security. But if you did not need a whole cargo, we may send any parcel from 10 to 50 puncheons and above, by coasting vessels, to Bordeaux, La Rochelle, Nantz or Havre-de-Grace, only we request from you the favor of addressing a line direct to our house, that we may provide immediately for the purchase, and also to prevent the correspondents, chiefly at Bordeaux and La Rochelle, to set aside your demand to us, and send instead their own brandy, stamping on the casks our brandmark, as if it was our own brandies, injuring by such fraud both our interest and that of their correspondents. We have been aware of that sort of forgery a long while hence, but we have never been able to detect it in France—indeed, we are told that the brandmark is fixed to the casks in America, when the puncheons are landed; we have in consequence taken a determination to accompany each parcel of brandy with a special certicate, signed by us, and we never send any but with such a document.

Our puncheons are of 65 a 68 velts, but to facilitate the sales in America, we got 53 a 55 velts, say 106 a 110 gallons.

Our market is at present rather calm, and we could purchase at F 400 a 450 p 27 velts, or 8f 38 a 39 per gallon on board at Charente.

"With tender of our best services, we remain respectfully, your most obedient servants, OTARD, DUPUY & Co.

From the Boston Palladium, September 1

FROM GIBRALTAR.

We have been favored by Mr. Topliff with a Gibraltar paper of July 11.

Gibraltar, July 11.

The limits of our paper do not permit us to give all the details we have obtained on the subject of the plague in the Empire of Morocco. We regret, however, to have to inform our readers, that the evidence, both from official and private sources, as to the actual existence of this disease in the towns of Tangiers, Tetuan and Fez, is too strong not to excite the most serious apprehensions.

At Tangiers, the deaths of all descriptions between the 16th to the 18th of June, from the best information that could be obtained, amounted to 32, and one day among others, to 8; but all these persons were not supposed to have died of the plague.

The malady has been observed to pass through its different stages to death, in about 48 hours. No well authenticated case of recovery has yet been ascertained, though, in one or two instances, the complaint seemed to have taken a very favorable turn.

The number of children attacked, bore a large proportion to the adults.

The small pox and measles are stated also to prevail in the town.

The Consuls and other Christian residents had shut themselves up in their houses.

The Moors and Jews took no precautions, nor were any observed on board the shipping in the Bay.

The town is remarkably well supplied with provisions. Its present population is estimated at about 10,000 souls; the mean heat of the thermometer was during the month of June, from 61 to 73, with 23 days easterly, and 7 days westerly wind.

The information as to the state of the disease in Tetuan, is more uncertain; it is asserted however, that from 15 to 20 persons die there daily.

At Fez, a disease, of a character similar to the above, is stated to have appeared, and was supposed to have been brought by some of the Carriers of the Caravan from Algiers, three of whom are stated to have died.

The following letter was received yesterday afternoon by the Marshal of this District:

"*Scituate, Aug.* 31—12 o'clock.

"SIR—I have this moment taken possession of a piratical schooner loaded with coffee, cotton and hides—and have three men in custody—two having made their escape. One of the men has turned state's evidence, and says she was taken by a Buenos Ayres privateer—a prize master and 5 men put on board, and ordered for Buenos Ayres. Five weeks after they threw the prize master and mate overboard, and after landing five Spaniards, two of whom were priests, on the Cape de Verd Islands, they proceeded for the United States. You will please send without delay for the men in custody. One of the missing men is about 30 years old—red hair, thin favored; and flattish nose. The other about 21—large in stature, light hair, and a large scar on one instep.

(Signed) C. D. jun. Inspector."

We have received Calcutta papers to April 1. On the 25th of March, the city was visited by one of the severest gales of wind which had occurred for some time—its duration short. Considerable damage was done to the shipping—several ships lost masts, bowsprits, &c. A number of boats were upset, and many natives perished.—Mr. Abraham, of the civil service, and Mr. Caulfield, merchant, were drowned.

From the N. Y. Commercial Adv. Sept. 3.

LATEST FROM ENGLAND.

By the arrival last evening of the regular packet ship Amity, captain Stanton, in 30 days from Liverpool, the Editors of the Commercial Advertiser have received files of London papers to the 31st of July.

The papers are unusually barren of intelligence. Since the general election has closed, the state of the Queen's health appears to be the leading topic of public attention and interest. Although the late accounts represent her as somewhat more comfortable, yet it was not supposed from the nature of her disease, that she could survive many weeks. Our latest Liverpool paper, on this subject, thus remarks: "The dangerous situation of her Majesty the Queen, has become, within the last week or two, a matter of general solicitude. We wish we could add that private accounts were more favorable than public rumor, but the subject is too painful and delicate to admit of our being more explicit. The physicians, it must have been observed, have ceased to be responsible for the statements that are put forth. One of our contemporaries observes, and we fear truly, that "the illness of her Majesty is a total decay of nature, and a daily increasing morbidity in all those parts, the energy, or at least the regular action of which is necessary to the functions of life. What usually occurs in this state, and which is commonly the last stage of it, has some time since commenced in her Majesty. A quantity of water has already accumulated in the chest and stomach."

A serious riot took place at Westminster on the anniversary of the battle of Talavera between a party of about 50 soldiers and the populace. At length, a number of the principal rioters were arrested by the civil authority, and the disturbance was soon quelled.

The Correctional Police of France have sentenced an author, by the name of *Ferret*, to one year's imprisonment, to a fine of 3,000 francs, to five years labor, and to find security to the amount of 3,000 francs, for publishing an "irreligious, seditious and calumnious" book, entitled "The Grey Man."

The failure of a Commercial house, for three millions of current money, has lately occurred at Presburg.

A very serious fire occurred on the 14th of July, at Morlain in France. No less than forty houses were consumed.

It is stated, that the Prince Royal of Bavaria has refused to acknowledge Eugene Beauharnois as a Prince of the Royal family.

Letters from Contanstinople announce, that the Kaleidoscopes have penetrated those ancient walls, and constitute the amusement of the beautiful captives of the Seraglio.

From the same, of September 4.

SHORT ARRIVAL FROM ENGLAND.

The ship Magnet, Captain Ogden, arrived this morning in the remarkably short passage of 23 days from Liverpool, and only 17 from land to land. Captain O. is the bearer of dispatches for the Secretary of State.

By this arrival London dates are received to the 6th of August, and Liverpool to the 8th. Our latest Lloyd's List is of the 4th.

On the 4th of August, an Order in Council for proroguing Parliament to the 2d of October was published in the Official Gazette.—One of the London Papers of the 5th says—There is not, we believe, at present any intention of assembling Parliament, for the dispatch of business until after Christmas.

The report of the 5th respecting the Queen's health, stated that she had passed a pretty good night, and is better to day." No expectation, however, was entertained of her recovery.

The Duke and Duchess of Clarence arrived at Dover on the 3d of August and embarked for Calais on the 4th on their way to Germany. Royal salutes were fired on their arrival and on their departure.

The Duke of Wellington arrived at Dover on the 1st of August, and at London on the 2d. On the same day he had a long interview with the Prince Regent, and another on the 3d. It is understood, that he will soon return to the continent.

Paris dates are contained in our London papers to the 3d of August. The French funds were still improving. The five per cent Consols were, on the first at 78 francs, and left off at 77 9-10.

The celebrated Lt. General Cannel, who is now imprisoned at Paris for high treason has commenced suits for slander, against Messrs. Lenneville & Faboies.—The causes were called up on the first of August, in the Court of Correctional Police; and on application by the General's Advocate for a postponement for two weeks, the court postponed the trial until the 7th of November next.

The Royal Court at Paris has conferred the title of Count upon M. Stackpole, an Irish gentleman of 82 years of age, who it is said possesses a fortune of nine millions of Francs, and who has created in favor of his only son a majoret of 50,000 francs of income.

A letter from Captain Jackson, of the whaling ship John, who had arrived from Greenland at Greenock, in speaking of the Arctic expedition, says—"I can say little of the discovery ships, except that they were [illegible] in 80, then coming South, because they could get no further North."

The Prussian flag has been altered by a Cabinet Order at Berlin. In future it is to consist of three bands without an Eagle.—The two outer bands to be black, and the middle band, white.

Corn Exchange, August 5.

Our market was well supplied with all kinds of grain. The wheat trade was dull at Monday's prices.—Oats rather more in demand, and barley, peas, and beans, remain at the former prices.

Prices of British Stocks in London, Aug. 5.

Three per cent. red. 77 7-8 78; 3 per cent. Consols, 77 3-8 1-8; 4 per cents 97 1-4 1-8; Consols for account 77 3-8.

Gen. Jackson's official account of the capture of Pensacola was received in London on the first of August. The London papers abound in remarks and speculations on the subject. Bell's Weekly Messenger, in announcing the capture, thus remarks:

"In some of our former papers we have had frequent occasions to call the attention of our readers to the secret policy of the Americans, and to those gradual, but not insensible, approaches by which they were moving to the attainment of an important object. We observed, that the character of Franklin, and the early American revolutionists, was deeply impressed upon the American government, and from their time to the present, constituted the characteristic of the American as an executive—so natural is it to imitate the maxims and manners of those whom we are early taught to admire. Now the characteristics of Franklin were, a long and sagacious foresight both of his object and the most suitable means of attaining it—a slow, gradual, and business-like preparation and progress, and a patient expectation of due seasons and opportunities. By this prudence, as we may see in his life and writings, he not only secured all his objects, but procured them at the least cost and with the least risque. And such is the character of the present American government. They have long, and manifestly, retained an important object within their view; they have been upon the watch for the due time of securing it, and they have deemed that time to have at length arrived.

"It is unnecessary to say, that this object is the occupation of the Floridas. The vast continent of America, as laying in the Atlantic Ocean from north to south, is naturally divided into two great parts, of which the north extends from the Pole to the Gulf of Mexico, where the narrow isthmus of Darien connects it with the southern part. Now, from north to south, the whole almost of this northern portion belongs to the United States, except only the provinces of the Floridas at the southern limit, which thus intercept the U. States from the sea coast of the Gulf of Mexico. It is, therefore, a very main object with the government of the United States to procure these provinces, and thereby not only procure a strong natural boundary, but to gain a valuable line of sea-coast for their back provinces. The greater part of our public writers, indeed, seem not aware of the extent of the Gulf of Mexico, when they write of it as of a mere indenture of the sea into the land, instead of a vast sea extending nearly twelve hundred miles inwards from the Atlantic Ocean. Now the coast of this Gulf, adjoining to the province of the United States, consists of the provinces of the Floridas, which commence with the Gulf upon the Atlantic, and co-extend with it from east to west, till it reaches the isthmus of Darien at its western extremity. The Gulf then flows along the isthmus of Darien about a hundred or more miles, after which commences the Mexican empire, being the coast opposite to the Floridas.

"Even from this brief description, two points are sufficiently evident. In the first place, the value of the Floridas to the United States; and secondly, their importance to Spain. To the United States they will at once afford a natural boundary, and a long line of sea coast and navigable harbors, where they are most wanted. To the royal government of Spain, the value of the Floridas is, perhaps, still greater; it is a barrier, so long as it continues, between Spanish South America and the United States, and opposes such a long and wide space of wood and uncultivated land, as effectually to prevent the dangerous intercourse between the subjects of a despotic monarchy and the free people of the United States. It is, in this sense, the best defence of Spanish America, and the strongest security of Mexico.—The possession of it by the United States, will bring that active people immediately into contact with this feeble empire; and the Americans, having such a prize at their feet, and with so many occasions for seizing it, will readily avail themselves of it. If we add to these reasons the present actual situation of the Spanish American provinces, it will be unnecessary to add any further explanation, why the royal government of Spain should put so high a value on the uncultivated deserts of the Floridas.

"Such, therefore, have been the actual reasons which have induced the American government to the present act of siezure and capture. The pretexts are, indeed, very different, but are of no farther curiosity than as matters of future history. We have no doubt but that a manifesto will be shortly published, in which the American government will assert its right of maintaining its own peace and good order—and, to that end, its obligation to seize the provinces of a government, whose notorious imbecility and insufficiency were rendering those seas and islands the refuge of pirates and outlaws—a principle which is not without a just foundation, if it were the actual motive, and the only remedy. To confess the truth, however, we are so little satisfied with the government of Ferdinand, and are so thoroughly persuaded that the Floridas will flourish under the United States, that we almost wish to see the Americans produce a sufficient justification for their possession of them. But without this sufficient justification, however we might wish for the event itself, we cannot persuade ourselves to approve it; for it is with nations as with individuals—that what begins in ill, cannot terminate in good. This not only seems to be, but actually is, the law of God in the government of the world; and no nation ever violated the law by which human society is held together, without repaying, either in the object itself, or from some other interest, a triple retribution for all that it seemed to gain. If America has sufficient cause, she has our best wishes: if not, we are so sincerely attached to her wise, her simple, and her moderate government, that we wish her to fail in all attempts in which she could only succeed to an eventually greater loss, and upon this very intelligible principle,—that it is better to fail than to succeed in a bad action."

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20 quarter casks sweet Malaga wine
40 casks London refined salt petre
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THE subscribers respectfully inform their friends and the public at large, that they have commenced making MILL IRONS, at their old stand, Union-street; they are provided with every thing necessary to carry on the business with neatness and dispatch. Orders from different parts of the country will be attended to, and promptly executed, in workmanship equal to any in the U. States. They continue to carry on the blacksmith's business in all its various branches as usual.

RICHARD ROCK & Co.

Sept 8 tuths

John W. Massie & Co.

HAVE just received per the ships New-Jersey, Boston, & America, from Liverpool, the principal part of their fall goods.—Among the variety of goods received there are,

Blacksmith's anvils; shovels & spades
Vices and screw-plates
Hammers, and frying-pans
Iron traces and halter chains
Plated bridle-bitts and stirrups of the latest and most fashionable patterns
Woollen and hemp webs; straining do
Mill, cross cut, whip, hand, and dovetail saws
Best blistered [L], Millington, Crowley, and cast steel
English hoop iron; best saddle trees
Shoe thread in balls
All sizes of waggon boxes
A few best fowling pieces, double and single barrel
A general assortment Swedish bar iron

Together with a great variety of other articles in the Hardware line, all of which will be sold low.

September 8 tuths

Kinsey Griffith

INFORMS the public that he still continues to carry on the

Gun and Pistol Making,

AT THE OLD STAND LOWER END OF KING-ST.

where all orders in his line will be executed with neatness and despatch. He has now on hand a general and handsome assortment of double and single barrelled *bird guns*, locks, &c. &c.

September 8 tuths1w&Stf

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber about the 4th of August, Negro Woman LOUIZA—she is 25 years old, about 5 feet five inches high, and stout; has some of her front teeth out, and is apt to laugh when spoken to; she has a sister Marinda and a mother living in Georgetown, one above Semmes's tavern, and the other on Herring Hill, where she has been harbored for two weeks, and left there to come home, but has not done so. I expect she can be found in Georgetown or Alexandria, where she has many acquaintances. I will give the above reward if brought home, or lodged in jail so that I get her again.

ROBERT HARPER.

Prince George's co. Maryland,
September 8 dtf

COHEN'S OFFICE, BALTIMORE.

Masonic Hall Lottery.

10th day's drawing.

No 10178 first drawn		D500
1211 4463 5361 6796	prizes of	100
1486 4654 8856 8551		
9825 11735 11503 13030	}	50
And 179 prizes of		25

The capitals of 50,000, 25,000, 20,000, 5000 are *all still undrawn*, and only five thousand tickets in the wheel.

ON FRIDAY NEXT,

The first drawn number will be entitled to

20,000 DOLLARS!!!

Whole tickets	D25 00	Fifths	D5
Halves	12 50	Eighths	3 12
Quarters	6 25	Tenths	2 50

To be had (warranted undrawn) at

COHEN'S

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110 Market Street. Where MORE CAPITAL PRIZES *have been obtained than at any other office in America.*

Orders promptly attended to.

September 7

Shoes and Hats.

THE subscriber has just received at his Shoe and Hat Store, corner of King and Royal streets, a large and general assortment of Shoes and Hats, of the best quality and newest fashions, from N. York,

consisting as follows:

Ladies' morocco slips; do common do
Do best colored; do leather pumps
Misses' black and colored morocco slips
Do morocco common do
Children's shoes; do bl'k morocco slips
Ladies' kid slippers, spring heels
Lamb kid morocco walking shoes; ran do
Ladies' sandals; buckle shoes
Prunello slippers; high walking shoes
Mens' fine shoes and pumps; do colored
Boys' shoes

HATS:

Brewster's first quality beaver hats
I. Ives & O. Whites's do
Colier & Harris's do
Jaggar & Co's do do
Ladies black and brown beaver hats
Children's do do
Morocco hats; green and brown children's wool do

N. B. Persons wishing the subscriber's own manufacture of Hats, can have them, as he continues his manufactory as usual.

SAMUEL D. HARPER.

September 5 3t

Sugar and Coffee.

LINDSAY & HILL have 40 hhds first quality Barbados sugar, and 45,000 lbs green and white coffee, for sale

September 4

Prime Chewing Tobacco,

EIGHTY kegs 8's and 12's, very superior quality (manufactured by David Barclay, esq. and warranted)—just received per schooner Dolphin from Richmond. For sale by

JNO. JACKSON & Co.
Agents.

August 29 stuth2w

THEATRE.

THE PHILO-DRAMATIC SOCIETY Will perform for the benefit of the Poor, *On TUESDAY EVENING, Sept. 8,*

THE TRAGEDY OF

DOUGLAS;

AFTER WHICH,

A MUSICAL OLIO:

TO CONCLUDE WITH THE MUSICAL FARCE OF

MUSIC MAD.

Doors open at half past 6, and curtain rises at half past 7 o'clock, precisely.

Box 1 dollar, gallery 50 cents—children half price.

☞ Tickets to be had at the Herald and Gazette offices, and at the theatre. Seats may be taken at the Box office from 3 P M until the performance.

For the West-Indies,

or elsewhere.

The brig FRIENDSHIP, Thomas A. Manning, master, burthen about 900 barrels; she is a good vessel, sails well, and is now ready to take freight on very moderate terms. Apply to

JOHN H. LADD & Co,

Who have for sale on board of said vessel, a few barrels Navy beef. Boxes excellent Codfish; brown soap, mahogany furniture, consisting of large and portable writing desks, and work tables—also a set of chairs and a few M. white pine boards.

September 8 2w

For Boston,

The fast sailing schr GENERAL GREEN, capt Luce, will positively sail on Tuesday next. For freight or passage, having elegant accommodations, apply on board at Vowel's wharf or to

E. CORNING.

September 5 3t

For South America the West Indies, or Europe,

The good and fast-sailing brig ALONZO, George K. Smith master, will take freight for either of the above places. If not offered, she will take freight for Salem. Apply to the master on board, or to

JONATHAN SHILLABER.

September 3

For Richmond,

The substantial schooner JANE, Conner, master, will sail in a few days.—For freight or passage, having good accommodations, apply on board at Janney's wharf, or to

FR. ADAMS, jr.

September 2 1w

For Newport, Providence,

Or any eastern port,

The packet sloop SUPERB, Coffin master, burthen 400 bbls. and is now ready to load. For freight or passage apply to

JOHN H. LADD & Co.

August 25 2w

For Boston,

The schnr ELIZA ANN, captain Thorndike, is now loading, and will sail in 2 days: 300 bbls will be taken on freight, if offered immediately. Apply to

Aug 22 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

For Amsterdam,

The brig RESOLUTION, William Malcom, master; is an excellent vessel and will commence loading in two days. For freight of a few hogsheads, apply to A. C. Cazenove, or

August 27 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

For Boston,

The good schr. MARY SPEAR, John Spear, junr. master, burthen 800 bbls has part of her cargo provided—For freight of remainder or passage apply to

JOHN H. LADD & Co.

Who have just received from Providence 5 hhds Antigua and St. Croix rum.

August 22

Liverpool Salt and Coals.

THE cargo of brig Nancy & Mary, J. Barnecoat master, from Liverpool,
4500 bushels coarse salt
300 do coal

ALSO,

The cargo of the ship Maria, Wm. Morrell master, of
3000 bushels } coarse Liverpool salt
500 sacks }
4500 bushels Cannel and Orrell coal

For Sale or Freight,

The brig NANCY & MARY, captain Barnecoat, burthen about 2700 barrels, a good vessel, and can be ready for a cargo in a few days.

Also for Freight,

The ship MARIA, Wm. Morrell master, burthen 3600 barrels or 800 hogsheads tobacco, in complete order for any voyage.

Also for Freight,

The brig VISITER, captain Thomas, burthen about 2500 bbls. nearly a new vessel, and can be immediately ready for a cargo.

Also for Freight,

The schr THOMAS, capt. Thomas, carries about 800 bbls and will take freight for any eastern port. Apply to

Sept 1 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Landing

FROM on board the Norfolk packet and for sale,
12 hhds Antigua Rum

August 20 NEWTON KEENE.

20 Dollars Reward.

WE will pay the above reward of 20 dollars for the recovery of a chest of Young Hyson Tea and the confinement of the thief who took it from the store of Messrs. John & Thomas Vowell, or ten dollars for either. The tea is of the Clothier's cargo, which arrived at Philadelphia the 1st of April last; it has the letter V on it, roughly made with lamblack, and when taken there was a small cord around it.

B. E. HARRISON & Co.

September 5 3t

French Language.

WM. LANPHIER

INTENDS opening an Evening School on the 15th inst. at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of teaching the rudiments of the French language. Applicants can leave their names at Doctor Stabler's shop.

The following certificate is subjoined for their satisfaction:

TRANSLATION.

Having had the pleasure of a daily intercourse with Mr. Lanphier for several months past, we the undersigned certify, that from the profound knowledge he possesses of the French language, no person is more capable than he of teaching its rudiments and different idioms, (which constitute a part of it) and indeed the most correct pronunciation. We also have had an opportunity of conversing with several of the scholars of the same gentleman, who, without ever having been in France, speak good French.

PAUL M. GEBERT,
(Signed) *Doct. and Surg.*
EUGENE SHERIDAN.

Alexandria, June 24, 1818.

September 7 d3tthstutf

New Cheese.

TWO thousand lbs. good Connecticut cheese in small casks. For sale by

MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

September 1

Wheat.

A FEW thousand bushels of good wheat are wanted immediately by

JOHN H. LADD & Co.

September 1 2w

Corn.

A LIBERAL price will be paid for 7,000 bushels yellow corn on application to

JOHN H. LADD & Co.

September 2

C. & I. P. Thompson

HAVE received per ships Ocean, from London, and America, from Liverpool, the following articles:

Extra Imperial Saxony cloths and cassimeres; fine and superfine do do
Double milled drabs
Blankets; flannels; bombazetts; furniture moreens
Tartan plaids; superfine and fine Kidderminster carpetings, new patterns
Mourning and fancy London prints
Rich oriental furniture chintz
6-4 super Carlisle ginghams
Fancy and India book muslins
9-8 stout steam loom shirtings
Apron checks; Manchester cords and velvetteens—which with their former stock comprise a complete assortment of SEASONABLE GOODS.

September 3 d2w&thstu6w

C. Bennett,

HAS imported from London and Liverpool, and offers for sale,

Superfine cloths and cassimeres, extra imperial Saxony's and Spanish
Bombazets and Bombazeens
Scotch plaids; corded dimities
London Swansdowns and toilanettes
Furniture calicoes; mustard
Cheshire, double gloster, dolphin and pine apple cheese
Yorkshire cloths and plains
Flannels, milled and single
Superfine ingrain carpeting, of superior quality and pattern.
Best Bridport shad and herring twine
Shoe thread and book-binder's thread
Rose, duffil and point blankets
Irish linens; sheetings and long lawns
Cambrick and jaconett muslins
Marseilles quiltings; a few setts stag handle knives and forks, with dessert and carvers to match; Whitechapel needles in boxes sorted 1 to 11

September 5 d1w&ws5w

Land for Sale.

I WILL sell from 150 to 300 acres of land, part of the farm on which I live.—On said land there is a log house with two rooms on a floor, a meat house, with several other small buildings, an excellent apple orchard, peaches, pears, quinces, damsons, &c.

DANIEL DULANY.

August 24

Notice.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Honorable Court of Charles County as a Court of Equity, I shall expose to public sale at Port-Tobacco, Charles county, Maryland, on Wednesday the 7th day of October next, all the real estate of which General John Mitchell died seized, lying in Durham parish in said county, consisting of two tracts of land adjoining each other, called Holly-spring Resurveyed and Meek's Park, containing about 730 acres. This estate is situated contiguous to that of Colonel John Tayloe's, near Maryland Point, and within two miles of the river Potomac, is considered one of the most healthy in that neighborhood, lies level, and the soil (a part of which is already strong), is thought to be susceptible of speedy improvement by the use of clover and plaister of paris. On this estate is a very considerable body of wood and timber, which if converted into money would probably pay the purchase money.

The improvements are a two story dwelling with two rooms and a passage on each floor, and a cellar under the whole, kitchen, Negro quarters, barn, and corn house, and an orchard of some of the choicest fruits.—A more particular description of it is deemed unnecessary, as it is presumable that those inclined to purchase will view the premises previous to the day of sale. It will be sold either entire or in parcels for the accommodation of purchasers.—The purchaser or purchasers will be required to enter into bond, with approved security for the payment of the purchase money in one, two and three years, with interest, payable annually from the day of sale; and on the ratification of the sale by the Court, and the payment of the purchase money, and not before, a deed or deeds in due form will be made, conveying all the estate, right, title, interest and claim, to the premises that the said John Mitchell, deceased, held in the same, which title is indisputable.

JOHN BARNES, Trustee.

September 7 dts

Notice.

ALL persons having unsettled accounts with the late concern of *N & R. Blacklock*, are hereby requested to bring them to the subscriber for adjustment without delay, as the affairs of that firm must be settled within a limited time; and those indebted will please discharge their accounts as soon as possible, to

ROBERT S. BLACKLOCK;

Who continues the

Grocery Business,

at the same stand, in King-street, and invites the friends of the late firm to call on him for supplies as usual.

September 7 dtf

English Cheese & Mustard.

JUST received a few cases of Cheshire, double and single Gloucester, dolphin and pine apple Cheese, secured in lead, particularly selected, and warranted of a quality equal to any ever imported.

ALSO,

4 cases 1st quality Durham Mustard, in leaden cannisters—For sale by

JOHN H. CREASE,

WHO HAS ON HAND,

A general assortment of GROCERIES.

September 5 d6t&mwf5t

Gunston for Sale.

THIS elegant estate is situated on the Potomac, 16 miles below Alexandria—it is bounded on three sides by the Potomac and Pohick creek, and contains nearly 3,000 acres of land, level and fertile, to which are attached six shad and herring fisheries, two of which command the river channel. This land will be laid off in four tracts, so as to have one or more fisheries to each; these tracts will be again divided if requisite. This estate is level and beautifully situated, very fertile, and remarkably healthy. Plaister acts with an effect equal to that of any part of Virginia or Pennsylvania.—I have used 500 bushels in twelve months, and such is its beneficial operation, that were I to keep this land I should considerably increase the quantity. A manufacturing mill is distant about two miles, on a stream navigable for vessels carrying 1200 bushels of wheat, where the Baltimore and Dist. of Columbia prices are given for grain: being bounded on 3 sides by water, a small extent only of fence is necessary to inclose the whole: it would be admirably adapted to grazing. The improvements are a large and very substantial brick mansion, 40 by 70 feet, with every necessary out-house, three commodious barns, houses for Negroes, and fish houses at each of the fisheries. 120,000 bricks and 1000 bushels of lime are just burnt on the premises. There is a considerable extent of line fence, both useful and ornamental, two orchards of well selected apples and peach, besides an abundance of other choice fruit. More than 150 acres are in clover, 200 in corn, and land is in preparation for sowing 250 bushels of small grain. Any quantity of hay can be cut from the low grounds, some of which (and all might,) have been reclaimed at a trifling expense. The river and creeks, abound with wild fowl, particularly canvass backs, the woods with deer and a variety of other game. Mules, cattle, highly improved sheep, farming utensels and household furniture can be had. The terms of sale will be accommodating. Property in any of the cities, negroes, bank stock, western lands, or lands near the Ridge, will be taken in payment.—Letters must be addressed to me at Pohick Church, Fairfax county, Virginia.

September 4 GEORGE MASON.

Lands for Sale.

I WILL sell on accommodating terms the following very valuable property:

A tract of land containing 340 acres, lying on the Potomac River, at the mouth of Pomonkey Creek, about sixteen miles below the town of Alexandria: the larger portion of it is level land, with a stiff soil, well adapted to the cultivation of corn, wheat and tobacco, and equal in fertility to any in the neighborhood. On this farm is one of the most elegant scites for building, of all those fine heights which border the Potomac, commanding an extensive view of the adjacent country, both in Virginia and Maryland, for more than thirty miles up and down the river—located in a genteel neighborhood, it would make an agreeable residence, and from the advantage of the best navigation and its proximity to market, an extremely profitable farm.—There are houses upon it for the comfortable accommodation of the negroes necessary for its cultivation. Plaster acts well on all the adjacent country.

A tract containing 334 acres lying about one mile back of the former, a large portion of it in wood—it is high, stiff land, in soil similar to the one abovementioned: upon this tract is a tenement in tolerable repair.

A tract containing 100 acres, lying at the mouth of Mattawoman Creek, about 25 miles below Alexandria. The whole of this is first rate river bottom, and now completely enclosed. On this tract is that well known fishery called Rum Point, at which there has been cleared upwards of 2000 dollars in one season, and where, independent of the fish sold on the shore, there might be put up from one to two thousand barrels every season. Besides the profits of the fishery, is the advantage of Manuring the farm with the offal of the shore, from which, with industry, the whole may be annually manured, so as to produce at least ten barrels of corn to the acre. On the fishery shore is a dwelling house, and houses for holding salt and curing any number of fish, and for the accommodation of the hands.

A tract containing 236 acres, lying about one and a half miles from the last mentioned tract, more than 200 acres of which are in wood, which would afford 20 cords, at least, per acre, within one mile of the river, where wood has of late rarely sold for less than five dollars per cord.—It will be divided into 50 or 25 acre lots to suit purchasers.—If preferred the wood will be sold standing for so much per acre.

William Mason residing near the head of Mattawoman creek, about 7 miles from Porttobacco, will show the lands to those who may wish to see them.

THOMSON F. MASON.

September 4 1w

SALES AT AUCTION.

By P. G. MARSTELLER.

THIS DAY at 10 A M
Will be sold at the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water-streets,

10 dozen pelisse wadding
Dimities
Colored cambrics
Stripe
Worsted fringe; ball do
Colored crapes
Leno, cambrics, jaconet and book muslins
Guaze colored
Silk gloves
White Marseilles
Colored bombazettes
Gilt buttons; plated do
8-4 silk shawls
Worsted hose
Merino and cloth shawls
Ribbonds
Silk buttons; silk twist
Lenoes; cravats; pins, &c

ALSO,

2 bbls French brandy
5 pipes do do
5 do gin
20 boxes chocolate
25 kegs best nails
50 boxes ale and porter, containing 1 dozen each
2000 lbs bacon, in good order, and on liberal terms
1 box palm nuts
10 boxes raisins
10 frails almonds, &c

Will be added to Tuesday's sale a variety of household and kitchen furniture.

ALSO,

4 good draft and saddle horses.

By JOHN JACKSON & Co.

On WEDNESDAY, at 10 A M
Will be sold at the new auction rooms, cor of King and Water streets,

A great variety of dry goods,

received since our sale on Saturday—every article of which we pledge ourselves to sell—among which are,

1 case madras hdkfs	1 bale saxony cloths
1 blk canton do	1 carlisle ginhms
1 9-8 checks	1 gurrahs
1 british shirtings	1 sannahs
1 plaids & stripes	1 baftahs
1 Irish dowlas	1 british linens
1 threads	1 singl cassimers
1 pins	1 case waiters, 10 to 28 inches, gilt and very elegant
1 cords & velvets	
1 suspenders	

Few pieces double milled cassimeres
Few do superfine French cloths
Plate and chintz furnitures; ribbands
Bengal stripes; flag and bandano hdkfs
Striped and fancy muslins; laces
Shawls various kinds; florentines
Levantines, double and single; buttons
Sewing silk and twist; silk buttons
Toilinett and swansdown vesting
Buck skin, beaver and kid gloves
Mourning calicoes, &c

ALSO,

Will be sold without reserve, to close different concerns,

8 sacks filberts; 5 boxes chocolate
3 bags race ginger; and
40 boxes claret superior quality, in lots to suit purchasers. Conditions at sale

N. E. Rum, Cordial, &c.

FOR SALE, on board the brig Alonzo, lying at Rumney's wharf,
4 hhds and 20 bbls N E Rum
5 bbls cordial
14 boxes codfish
1 box wafers, containing 160 small [boxes
34,000 quills

ALSO,

Twine, boottees, shoes, soap, &c.

Sept 5 GEORGE K. SMITH.

Valuable Estate for Sale.

UNDER the authority of a decree from the Equity Court of Prince George's county, the subscriber will on *Wednesday the 23d day of September next*, offer at public sale, at the house of Isidore Hardy, in Piscataway, a most valuable property, the

Estate of George R. Leiper,

Esq. deceased, so well known by the name of MONTPELIER—about 2 miles from Piscataway, 9 miles from Alexandria, and 16 from Washington city.

This farm, which contains rather more than 600 acres, is truly valuable. The soil is fertile and highly susceptible of improvement by the use of clover and plaster. The buildings are good and commodious, and the scite of the Mansion, in beauty of perspective and salubrity of air, is excelled by few on Potomac river. To be enabled to appreciate fully the elegance of the situation and all the advantages which result to the possessor of this valuable estate, it is only necessary that it should be viewed, which may be done, and every necessary information obtained, by application to the subscriber, or Mr. *Aquilla Baden*, the present manager of the farm.

The terms of sale are that the purchaser shall pay one-third in ready money, and the residue in two equal annual payments, with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by bond with approved security, and on the ratification of the sale by the court, and the payment of the whole purchase money with the interest thereon due, and not before, the trustee will execute to the purchaser a deed in the terms of the decree. The purchaser on complying with the terms of sale, will have the liberty of seeding a crop of winter grain.

THOMAS MUNDELL, Trustee.

Oakland, near Piscataway, }
August 11 } cpt23S

Public Sale.

The subscriber will offer at public sale, on the same day and place above mentioned, 125 acres of land (lying nearly square) adjoining the above farm. It has been enclosed five years, without being cultivated; has 8 or 10 acres well set in timothy, and upwards of 30 in good timber and wood of different kinds. The improvements are a logged quarter and good barn. A part of the land has been well cowpenned for the five years. Terms will be made known on the day of sale.

HENRY D. HATTON,
Near Piscataway.

August 20 thstut23dS

HOUSES, LANDS, &c.

For Sale or Rent,

THAT valuable property called CONWAY'S WHARF, with the Warehouses thereon fronting on Union-street. The warehouses will be rented separately if required. For terms apply to

WM. HERBERT, jr.

August 25 tf

For Sale,

A TRACT OF LAND in the county of Fairfax, between the Little River Turnpike Road and that from Leesburg to Georgetown, called SELBY, containing from 5 to 600 acres, situated in the neighborhood of Alexandria, Georgetown, and city of Washington. The land is in good order, with sufficient buildings for the purposes of farming, well watered, wooded, and adapted to plaster. As it is presumed that persons disposed to purchase will view the premises, further description is unnecessary.

Terms of sale liberal, and will be made known on application to *John A.* and *Bushrod C. Washington*, near Charlestown, Jefferson county, Virginia, or

NOBLET HERBERT,
Alexandria, D. C.

July 18 sw

For Sale,

THE SULPHER SPRINGS,

ABOUT eight miles from Martinsburg, Berkley County, formerly occupied by Minghinni, and now kept by Brown.—This estate consists of about

420 *Acres of Land,*

already in good cultivation, and susceptible of high improvement. The springs are much resorted to, and the boarding-house establishment is extremely profitable.—The buildings have undergone considerable repair.

As all those disposed to purchase will, I presume, visit the property, further particulars are deemed unnecessary.

H. S. G. TUCKER.

winchester, July 18 2m

Public Sale.

UNDER the authority of a deed of trust from James D. Patterson to me, I shall at 11 o'clock, on Saturday, the 5th day of September next, upon the premises, proceed to sell at public auction for cash, or upon such credit as may then be agreed on, a lot of ground, with the buildings thereon erected, situate on the west side of West-street, and north side of King-st. in the town of Alexandria, and described in the said deed as follows: beginning at a point where the north line of King-street intersects the west line of West-street, and extending westwardly with the line of King-street 19 feet; thence north and parallel with King-street 100 feet to a 10 feet alley; thence east and parallel to King-street 19 feet to West-street; thence south with West-street 100 feet to the beginning—subject to a ground rent of 57 dollars, payable on the 15th day of October, in each and every year forever.

J. D. SIMMS, Trustee.

☞**The sale of the above** property is postponed till Thursday the 24th inst. September 5

Lexington for Sale.

THIS estate, containing two thousand three hundred and fifty acres, more or less, being one half of the well known tract of land commonly called "Mason's Neck," situated on the Potomac, in the county of Fairfax, Virginia, is now offered for sale. About two-thirds of it is covered with an uncommon heavy growth of white and bl'k oak, hickory, pine, poplar, &c near the water's edge, whence it may be transported to the markets of the district of Columbia, (a distance of 20 miles only) where timber and fuel are always in demand, and without the expense and risk encountered in conveying those articles from situations further down the river: the remainder is in cultivation, and furnished with every necessary building for that purpose: together with orchar[illegible] and a blacksmith's shop. The [illegible] improvements are a spacious [illegible] elegant dwelling-house, kitchen, dairy, smoke-house, office, ice-house, a well of excellent water, and a falling garden, of the most tasteful and costly design, filled with the rarest and most beautiful shrubberies and flowers, exotic and indigenous, all situated on an eminence, commanding a view of the rest of the tract, which extends in an unintercepted plain from the foot of the eminence to the Potomac and Occoquan, by which it is so far bounded as to render the expense of enclosing it comparatively nothing. The prospect, moreover, of the surrounding country, diversified in every direction by sheets of water, is really beautiful beyond description. There are likewise attached to this estate four valuable

Shad & Herring Fisheries:

however, the subscriber intends to reserve one of them and a few acres of land. The woods abound with deer in such numbers, that with a little care a gentleman might command a constant supply of venison for his table; and besides the large streams abovementioned, the various creeks and inlets that every where intersect the land are covered in the proper season with wild fowl of every description known in our waters. When to all these advantages is added the great natural fertility of the land, which is not exceeded perhaps in the western country, its adaption to improvement by the use of plaster, which has been proved by experiment, its vicinity to society, to market, to two manufacturing grist-mills, to which the distance of conveyance by land and water is not more than 5 or 6 miles, it may with truth be pronounced the most valuable estate, of the same extent, in the whole range of country watered by the Potomac. It will be sold entire or divided to suit purchasers.

The terms of sale will be one-third of the purchase money in hand, the remaining 2-3ds in two equal annual payments, with interest from the day of sale, secured by a deed of trust on the land—which will be shewn in my absence to any person disposed to purchase, by Mr *William Allison* or Mr. *Weston*, residing on the premises.

August 31 WILLIAM MASON.

For Sale,

UNDER an act of the Legislature of Virginia, passed on the 21st day of February, 1818, all that part of a tract of land lying in the county of Fairfax, and commonly called Retirement, to which the widow and heirs of the late Walter D. Brooke are entitled; as well their interest in that part which has been allotted to Ann Brooke for her dower, as that part of which the said widow and heirs are now in possession. The sale will be made at public auction on the premises near where the stage road crosses Dogues Run, on Thursday the 17th of September next, if fair, if not the next fair day. The terms are one half cash, the balance on a credit of twelve months.

WILLIAM H. FOOTE,
BENJAMIN M. BROOKE, *Comrs.*

August 7 t17S

Alexandria, August 4.

WAS committed to the jail of this Co. as a run away, a negro man, who calls himself JOHN WEAKS, and says that he was born free in Prince George Co. Maryland, that his mother's name is Sally Green, who lives near the road leading from the Alexandria Ferry to the Eastern Branch bridge, adjoining one Hen. Thompson. He was committed to this jail on the 7th May last, and then called himself William Washington, but made his escape the 16th. He is about 25 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, stout made. Says he is known to Mr. Daniel Moxley, and Henry Thompson, of Maryland. The owner is requested to come and prove his property, pay charges, and take him away, otherwise he will be disposed of as the law directs.

ANDREW ROUNSAVELL, Jailor.

August 8 1aw2m

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, April Term, 1818.
Henry Boswell *vs.*
The representatives of *John Webster*, dec and against *Rezin Webster.*

ON the petition of *Henry Boswell*, a rule is granted him against the representatives of *John Webster*, deceased, and against *Rezin Webster*, to show cause on the 1st day of the next term, why a piece of ground situated in the town of Alexandria, late the property of *William R. Webster*, should not be sold, and the money divided among the representatives of the said *William R. Webster*, according to law.

It is ordered, that this rule *as to Rezin Webster*, be published in one of the Alexandria papers for eight weeks successively. A true copy from the records.

Test, EDM. J. LEE, C. C.

July 25 2m

Piano-Fortes and Organs.

THE subscriber, who carries on the manufacture of these instruments in N. York, is now in Alexandria, where he will remain a short time, during which he will attend to repair, regulate the action and improve their tones and musical effects.—A specimen of his work and abilities may be examined in the store second door below the Mechanics' Bank, King street, where he offers for sale two of his Piano-Fortes at the New-York prices—one of them an elegant upright grand, of a full bodied mellow tone and brilliant touch—the other is of the horizontal sextagon form, highly finished, with extra additional keys. He warrants them perfectly sound, and of the first quality.—He will allow in exchange a fair price for old pianos or organs, being such as he approves.—He also has for sale a few fine toned old violins and elegant bows, and concert flutes.—He is perfectly acquainted with the harpsichord construction, and offers to put them in complete order.

Orders left at the store, or at Mr. Abercrombi's, cabinet-maker, or at Capt. Nelson's, King street, will be promptly attended to on his return to New-York.

THOMAS WESTERN.

July 17 fmw

Ground Plaster.

THE subscriber has ready ground at his mill, upper end of King-street, 5000 bushels of ground plaster and will continue to keep on hand a constant supply—which he will sell low either by the bushel or ton.

THOMAS SWANN, Jun.

July 30 d3tws10w

For Sale,

A valuable Farm in Jefferson county, Virginia.

BY virtue of a decree of the superior court of chancery for the Richmond district in Virginia, in a suit wherein the executors of General George Washington were plaintiffs, and Gerard Alexander, Thomas L. Alexander, (by Ludwell Lee, his appointed guardian in this case) Ludwell Lee, Richard H. L. Washington, John A. Washington, Bushrod C. Washington and Mary Lee Washington, defendants—will be exposed to sale to the highest bidder, for ready money, on the premises, on TUESDAY, the 15th day of September next, all that tract or parcel of Land, lying in Jefferson county, Virginia, on Bullskin, commonly called Rockhall, containing 540 acres, now in the occupation of John Sanders.

The above tract of land lies about 16 miles from Winchester, and about 6 miles from Charlestown, and on the main road leading from Winchester to Baltimore, city of Washington and Alexandria. It is well adapted to plaster and clover, and is in quality little inferior, if at all, to that of any farm in that rich valley. The improvements on it are a large two-story frame dwelling house, barn and other necessary out houses.—The water is limestone and of excellent quality.

Any person wishing to view the premises will be shown them upon application to John A. Washington or Bushrod C. Washington, living near the land.

Alfred A. Powell,
Henry St. George Tucker,
Robert Worthington,
William Tate, } Commissioners.

July 1 swts

600 acres of Land for sale.

THIS Tract is situated in Westmoreland county, Virginia, adjacent to Mr. Garnett Hunter's Plantation, and contiguous to the waters of the Potomac. The neighborhood is good—water excellent, and very desirable situations for building. A considerable proportion of the land is well timbered, besides a good deal of cedar, pine and other wood, sufficiently convenient to make it an object for those who may be disposed to send it to market—it is nearly equi-distant from Baltimore, Washington and Norfolk.

Any one wishing to purchase may apply to ROGER JONES,
Alexandria.

Also, a very valuable LOT, containing 140 acres, being a part of the late Mr. John Turberville's tract—within 6 miles of Georgetown, 3 from the Little Falls Bridge, and near to the turnpike leading from thence to Wiley's, in Fairfax county, Va. A great proportion of this land is exceedingly well timbered, and that part which is not, is so recently cleared as to be in an active state for cultivation, and already in a productive condition.—For terms, apply to PHILIP C. JONES, esq. in Leesburg, Va. or to R. JONES.

March 30 tt

Charles County Court,

March Term, 1818.

ON application to Charles county court by petition in writing of John Smith, of Charles county, for the benefit of the act of assembly for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session 1805, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned therein, a schedule of his property and a list of his creditors on oath, so far as he can ascertain them, being annexed to his petition, and the court being satisfied by competent testimony that the said Jno. Smith has resided two years immediately preceding the time of his application, in the state of Maryland, and being also satisfied that the said John Smith is in actual confinement for debt, and the said John Smith having entered into bond with sufficient security for his personal appearance in Charles county court, to answer such allegations as his creditors may make against him—It is therefore ordered and adjudged that the said John Smith be discharged from imprisonment; and that by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some one of the newspapers edited in the District of Columbia, once a week for two months successively before the third Monday of August next, he give notice to his creditors to appear before the said Court, at Charlestown, in said county, on the said third Monday of August next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to show cause why the said John Smith should not have the benefit of the several insolvent laws as prayed. Given under my hand this 20th day of June 1818.

Teste. JOHN BARNES, Clk.

Dr. Thomson's System of Chemistry.

IN FOUR VOLUMES OCTAVO.

THE preceding edition of Dr. Thomson's Chemistry, had acquired so much reputation both in England and upon the continent of Europe, that a new edition, comprising the new facts with which the science had been enriched, and the new views of the subject which extended knowledge had suggested as indispensable, was eagerly looked for by the scientific world. A new edition has accordingly appeared, wherein the former edition of five volumes has been condensed into four.

All the new discoveries, and all the new theories of Chemical Phænomena, have been considered and embraced in the present improved edition: so that it is indispensable to the chemical student, as presenting the only condensed view of the changes and alterations in chemical doctrine, which the discoveries of the last ten years have suggested. No apology therefore can be necessary for reprinting such a book in this country; for the press does not furnish a substitute for it. But, there is so much theoretical suggestion—so much abstruse calculation—so much fact of dubious authority—and so much dubious validity—that notes and illustrations are absolutely necessary, not merely to render the book more useful, but more intelligible.

Under these impressions, I thought fit to write notes in illustration (and sometimes in contradiction) of the work itself, rather than to make any abridgement of it. Those who wish to know the modern views of chemical science, *must* peruse it; and to very many who will be anxious to study it, elucidation will be necessary. I have endeavoured to supply these, to the best of my ability; regardless whether my own opinions are in dissonance or coincidence with those of my author; leaving to the reader to decide between us.

The work will be published, with notes and illustrations, in four volumes 8vo.

THOMAS COOPER, M. D.

CONDITIONS.

I. The work will be printed on a superfine paper, with a new small pica letter; and will be published early in the ensuing summer.

II. It will be illustrated with a number of cuts, of which several have been necessarily added to the London edition.

III. It will be delivered to subscribers at $12—to non-subscribers at $14, in boards. The London edition sells for $18.

JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

Advertisement.

ABSCONDED from the subscriber's service, on Saturday night the 15th inst. Negro woman TREACE or TREACY—she is five feet two or three inches high, about 30 years of age, of a very dark complexion, and when particularly examined is very apt to confound herself.—It is deemed unnecessary to mention her clothing, as she has all of them with her, and being extremely artful, she no doubt will change them and endeavor to pass for a free woman. She is well acquainted in Charles county, Prince George's, Alexandria and the City, as about 5 years ago she made her escape, and was 6 or 7 months about the Lower Ferry, leading to Alexandria, and from thence to Washington City, where she acquired an extensive acquaintance among the Negroes belonging to John Brent, esq.; and the greater part of said Negroes belong now to William and Rober Brent, esqrs. and Mr. Dudley Diggs. Negro Treace has a scar on the back part of her neck, occasioned by a seaton put for the benefit of her eyes, which are very weak at this time. I will give 10 dollars if taken in the county and secured in jail, or if out of the county and secured as aforesaid, so that I get her again, 25 dollars, and all reasonable charges paid if brought home. All persons are forewarned harboring or employing said Negro at their peril, as the law will be rigorously put in force against any offender.

THOMAS BURGESS.

Charles co. Maryland, near
Port-Tobacco, Aug. 24 d3tTu

Charles County Court,

March Term, 1818.

BILL IN CHANCERY.

Robert Perry
versus
James B. Dunnington, Robert Dunnington, Francis Taylor and Elizabeth B. his wife, James Bloxham and Catharine his wife, William Simmons and Esther his wife, heirs of William Dunnington.

THE Complainant alleged in his bill that the Respondents have in possession the real estate of their deceased father Wm. Dunnington, whose personal estate was not sufficient for the payment of his debts. Wm. Dunnington's estate is indebted to the complainant in a large sum of money. The object of the bill is to procure a decree for the sale of the land, for the payment of the debts remaining unpaid by the personal estate. Some of the heirs of Wm. Dunnington are non-residents.—It is thereupon, at motion of the Complainant, ordered that he cause a copy of this order to be inserted in the Alexandria Gazette for the space of three months, to the intent that the absent defendants may have notice of this application, and of the subject and object of the bill, and may be warned to appear in this court in person or by a solicitor, to shew cause, if any there be, wherefore a decree should not pass as prayed. Teste,

JOHN BARNES, Clk.

June 27 3m

Sales at Vendue.

On every Tuesday and Friday,
WILL BE SOLD,
At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water Streets,
Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.
Particulars of which will be expressed in the bills of the day.

☞ All kind of goods which are on limitation and the prices of which are established, can at any time be viewed and purchased at the lowest limitation and prices.

P. G. MARSTELLER.

Ship Timber, &c.

THE subscriber, residing on Mattawoman Creek, in Charles County, Maryland, will dispose of (standing) a large quantity of first rate White Oak Ship Timber, Wharf Logs, Timber suited for Staves, Plank, Scantling, or other purposes, in any quantity; likewise several thousand cords Oak Wood. Purchasers will find it to their advantage to apply as the terms will be moderate, and there is navigable water to the spot.

WM. MASON.

May 8 tf

PROPOSALS,
By Gideon Fairman, John Binns and Charles S. Parker,
TO PUBLISH
A Splendid Edition of
Washington's Farewell Address,
To the People of the United States.

THE world has seen enough of warriors and of Heroes—enough of Statesmen—of men who have guided Armies in the field, or dictated as Sages in the Cabinet, for the exclusive purpose of Ambition. History from its earliest page to the present day, has offered to our contemplation, only ONE WASHINGTON, but ONE MAN, whose dangers in war, and labors in in peace, were undertaken and supported with a single eye, to the benefit of his country; whose wonderful and honorable success, was the plain result of wisdom in design, and valour in execution; whom danger never appalled, nor defeat depressed; who, persevering in the justice of his cause, wooed Victory till he won her: who covetted no reward but the well earned approbation of those whose interest he lived to promote: who renounced all public honors, when they ceased to be the necessary instruments of good to the people, whose gratitude conferred them: who superior to all Monarchs, was content to be called the American Citizen. His career of glory through life was unstained by crime; and his death was felt as a loss by every individual of that community, whose political existence was the fruit of his exertions.

THE FAREWELL ADDRESS *of general Washington* is the condensed result of long experienced, matured reflection and strong anxiety for the permanent prosperity of his country. His advice concerning the great importance of maintaining indissolubly the federal Union: the danger of indulging too much in party feelings:—the necessity of supporting public credit at home:—of maintaining public faith in all our transactions with foreign nations: of encouraging foreign intercourse free frm foreign attachments:—are so many lessons of prudence which we should do well to bear in constant remembrance. Why therefore should not his legacy of wisdom and affection, be so published, as to admit of being constantly before our eyes? An ornament to our apartments, while it serves as a memento to guide our public feelings, and to manifest that the author lives in our memories?

To make it such, is the aim of the proposed Edition.

The Publishers are determined that the Address shall be printed on paper of the same quality and size as the splendid edition of the Declaration of Independence now engraving, & shall in all respects be a companion worthy that great State paper.

As errors are known from various causes to find their way into the most important writings, the publishers feel it their duty, not only to satisfy themselves, but to satisfy the public, of the authenticity of the copy from which this splendid Edition of the Farewell Address shall be published.

MR. GEORGE BRIDPORT will complete the Design; of which the following is an outline:—The introductory part of the Address, in highly finished ornamental penmunship, shall form the upper part;—the other parts of the plate, shall be appropriate ornaments;—in the centre below shall be engraved, from an historical design for this publication by Mr. *Sully* the Surrender of the British Army at York-town, October 19, 1781.

The Address itself shall be printed with type of a peculiar and appropriate character, designed for this purpose by Mr. Fairman, and to be cut and cast by our best artists. No more of the type shall be cast than will be necessary to execute this Address; & when it shall be compleated, the type and the matrices in which it was cast shall be utterly destroyed; so that no other work shall ever be executed by the same letter which shall have printed the "FAREWELL ADDRESS" of him who lived and died, *first in War; first in Peace, and first in the hearts of his Countrymen.*

The paper, of the first quality, 36 by 26 inches, will be made by Mr. Amies. The INK shall be carefully prepared, and of the best materials.

The signature of General Washington from which it is proposed to execute a fac simile for this publication, is that which he affixed to the Constitution of the United States, when he signed it as President of the Convention in which it was framed; Thus associating and concentrating some of the greatest events in the life of this great man and in the history of his Country.

The ornamental writing will be designed and executed in the very best manner; the ornamental parts of the design and vignette, will be engraved by G. FAIRMAN: and the Typographical part executed by *John Binns.* They will take especial care of the execution of their several duties in this respect, and they will call to their aid, all that liberality, zeal and industry can command from the Sciences and Arts, so as to make the *"Farewell Address"* no mean specimen of the state of the Fine Arts in the United States.

As much progress has already been made in designing and procuring materials for this splended edition of Gen. Washington's *"Farewell Address,"* it is expected it will be ready for delivery, with the Splended Edition of the Declaration of Independence, in the month of December next. That the public may have a more perfect view of the design and style of execution, than can be given in a proposal, of this Tribute to the memory of him who was "a Conqueror for the Freedom of his Country! A "Legislator for its Security! A Magistrate for its Happiness," it is not intended to solicit any Subscsiptions until the Ornamental parts of the plate shall be executed. It will then be submitted for public inspection and public patronage, at five dollars a Copy, payable on the delivery of the Engraving.

Philadelphia, July 31

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Mechanics' Bank of Alex'a.

September 1, 1818.

THE stockholders of this institution are hereby notified, that a dividend of 3½ per cent is this day declared for the last half year, on the Capital Stock paid in, payable to them or their legal representatives, on Friday the 11th inst.

By order of the Board.

P. H. MINOR, Cash'r.

September 1

This day is published,

AND for sale at the bookstore of JAMES KENNEDY & SON,

The Controversy between M. B. & Quæro,

which appeared in the Alexandria newspapers in the year 1817, on some points of

ROMAN CATHOLICISM:

To which is added AN APPENDIX, containing a brief notice of Luther—of Indulgencies—of the Inquisition—and of the Order of the Jesuits.

BY A PROTESTANT.

Price in boards one dollar Sept 3

John H. Ladd & Co.

HAVE just received by schooner Mark-Time,

20	casks large grained	powder	tower [proof		
10	fine	do	do	do	
5	musket do	do	do		
5	containing 25 canisters each				

This powder is of the very first quality London tower proof, and the large grained is of extra strength, manufactured expressly for duck shooting. Also,

21 hampers Bristol Bottles.

September 3

John H. Ladd & Co.

HAVE just received for sale,

25 cases men's and boys' fine and coarse shoes, of superior quality
15 puncheons Demerara, St Croix and [Antigua rum
3 casks lemon juice
8 boxes fresh lemons
20 half bbls mess beef
50 kegs excellent small twist tobacco
30 do large do
18 hhds leaf tobacco

August 26 2w

Committed

TO my custody some time past as runaways, a Negro woman and two children. The Negro woman calls herself *Ann Butler*, and says she is free, and came from Nottingham in Prince George county upwards of seven years ago to this county, where she has lived as a free person ever since.—She is 5 feet 2 inches high, of a very dark complexion, and appears to be about 28 years of age—had on when committed an oznaburgh shift, an old white cotton petticoat, and a red calico frock.—Her oldest child is a boy, who is called *Thomas*—of a dark complexion, and appears to be about 5 years old.—The other is a girl, who is called *Ann*, also of a dark complexion, and appears to be about 3 years old. The owner is desired to come and take them away, otherwise they will be sold as the law directs, for their prison fees, &c.

THO. A. DAVIS,
Sheriff of Charles County.

July 24 2m

50 Dollars Reward.

ABSCONDED on Saturday morning, the 15th inst. negro George, or George Griffin, the property of Miss M'Call, by trade a nailer, and understands some part of the blacksmith's business; he is about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, stout made, very black complexion, large eyes and mouth, with thick lips. He is a very artful fellow and has been in the habit of obtruding himself as a free man, and will no doubt attempt to pass as such, and probably get work—has a down look when spoken to.—His clothes not recollected, having various suits.

A reward of 10 dollars will be given if taken in the town or county, 20 in the county of Washington or Fairfax, or the above reward if taken 50 miles from town, with all reasonable charges if brought home.

Masters of vessels are cautioned against harboring or carrying off said runaway, as they will be dealt with according to law.

JAMES SANDERSON.

August 17 tf

Notice.

ALL persons having any unsettled accounts with the subscriber, or any demand whatsoever against him (individually) are requested to exhibit the same immediately for adjustment, and all who are indebted to him are earnestly requested to make payment, as he is desirous of closing his particular Books, and accounts of any former transactions unconnected with present business.

JOHN G. LADD.

August 29 2w

Land for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale a tract of 80 acres of land, on the Colchester road, five miles from Alexandria, adjoining the lands of Haywood Foote and Dennis Johnston. The greater part of this tract is fine meadow land, abundantly supplied with water. Also one other tract of 261 acres, on the Ravensworth road, about 6 miles from Alexandria, and one mile from the first mentioned tract, adjoining land of Thos. Janney and Mr. M'Pherson: the greater part of this tract is in wood, the soil good and highly susceptible of improvement from the use of plaster. If these lands are not sold before the first of January next, they will then be for rent.

CHARLES SIMMS.

June 18 ws